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Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing is the Utility patent application of:

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FOR:	SHOPPING ASSISTANCE METHOD AND SERVICE SYSTEM

Enclosed are:

- ☒ 5 sheets of ☒ formal ☐ informal drawings.
- ☒ Certified copy of UK patent application 0009658.6. Priority is claimed if not already of record.
- ☒ Notice of Priority under 35 U.S.C. § 119.
- ☐ An Information Disclosure Statement with PTO Form 1449 and cited references.
- ☐ A Preliminary Amendment.
- ☐ An assignment conveying title to Hewlett-Packard Company with PTO Form 1595.

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